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APPROVED BY ARA - MR. LITTLE

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY CARACAS

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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE  
PRESIDENT TO PRESIDENT CALDERA:

QUOTE DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: I DEEPLY APPRECIATE YOUR  
THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE OF CONDOLENCE ON THE TRAGIC DEATHS OF  
AMBASSADOR CLEO A. NOEL, JR., AND MR. GEORGE C. MOORE.

THE SAFETY AND WELL- BEING OF PEOPLE EVERYWHERE ARE  
THREATENED BY THE KIND OF SENSELESS BRUTALITY THAT CAUSED  
THIS TRAGEDY. I BELIEVE IT IS IN THE INTEREST OF ALL  
NATIONS TO ELIMINATE TERRORISM, AND I HOPE YOU WILL JOIN  
WITH US IN WORKING TOWARD THAT GOAL. WITH MY BEST  
WISHES. SINCERELY, RICHARD NIXON UNQUOTE WHITE HOUSE  
DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT, BUT HAS NO OBJECTION TO  
RELEASE BY RECIPIENT. PLEASE INFORM DEPARTMENT IF TEXT  
RELEASED.

2. FOR POST' S INFORMATION, FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF CALDERA' S  
MESSAGE: QUOTE PROFUNDAMENTE AFECTADO POR LA TRAGEDIA DE  
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JARTUM COMA QUE HOY CONMUEVE AL MUNDO Y EN LA CUAL  
PERDIERON LA VIDA ALTOS FUNCIONARIOS DIPLOMATICOS DE LOS  
ESTADOS UNIDOS Y BELGICA COMA LE EXPRESO EXCELENTISIMO  
SEÑOR PRESIDENTE COMA EN NOMBRE DEL PUEBLO Y GOBIERNO DE  
VENEZUELA ASI COMO EN EL MIO PROPIO COMA MI MAS SENTIDA  
CONDOLENCIA UNQUOTE.

3. DECONTROL ON DELIVERY OF PRESIDENT' S MESSAGE. ROGERS

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